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- 12 (f) detecting a second set of responses from said array of sensors, wherein
13 said set of responses is a second sensor array response profile;
14 (g) analyzing said second sensor array response profile to identify analytes
15 in said second sample; and
16 (h) comparing the results of the analysis of said first and second breath
17 samples.--

REMARKS

With entry of this preliminary amendment, claims 1-9, 14-23, and 24-31 are pending in the above-referenced patent application. No new matter has been added with this amendment. New claims 24-31 are supported by the specification as originally filed. More particularly, support for claims 24-31 is found, *inter alia*, on page 11, lines 10-11. Early examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 415-576-0200.

Respectfully submitted,



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